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Final Environmental Impact Statement for South Lawrence Trafficway released.

(Note: this corrected press release)

Kansas City, Mo. -- On January 6, 2003 the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Kansas City District released a Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) which presents a Selected Alternative for construction of the proposed K-10 Highway bypass in Lawrence, Kansas. The selected route is identified as the 32nd Street Alignment B alternative, which would be located slightly south of the existing 31st Street in Lawrence.

The Final EIS is available for public review and comment. Copies are available at:

Lawrence Public Library, 707 Vermont Street, Lawrence, Kan. Kansas University, Anshutz Library, reference desk, 1301 Hoch Auditoria Dr, Lawrence

Baker University, Collins Library, 606 Eighth St, Baldwin DeSoto Public Library, 33145 W. 83rd Street Topeka and Shawnee County Public Library, CIS Department, 1515 S.W. 10th Ave.

Johnson County Library, 9875 W. 87th St., Overland Park

The Corps will accept comments on the FEIS during a 30-day review period beginning January 17 and ending February 17. This is the final opportunity for the public to have input in the decision making process. The Kansas City District anticipates preparation of a Record of Decision soon after the close of the 30-day comment period. A final decision regarding issuance or denial Kansas Department of Transportation's requested permit.

Written comments can be mailed to U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Kansas City District, CENWK-R (RE: S. L T) Rm. 706, 601 E. 12th St., Kansas City, MO 64106-2896.

For further information concerning this project, please contact the Public Affairs Office, Kansas City District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers at (816) 983-3486.